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Kentucky Retail Fuel Prices (Dollars per gallon)

Product	03/26/09	03/19/09	03/13/09	03/05/09	Year Ago
Gasoline (State avg.)	1.980	1.885	1.876	1.860	3.197
Ashland	1.991	1.920	1.872	1.851	3.305
Covington	2.014	1.883	1.874	1.892	3.240
Lexington	1.960	1.895	1.822	1.831	3.161
Louisville	2.021	1.919	1.833	1.824	3.215
Owensboro	1.926	1.814	1.813	1.834	3.118
Diesel (State avg.)	2.094	2.010	2.033	2.087	3.910
Ashland	2.141	2.081	2.120	2.164	3.940
Covington	2.075	1.997	2.051	2.104	3.893
Lexington	2.082	2.014	2.044	2.098	3.930
Louisville	2.081	1.973	1.988	2.041	3.894
Owensboro	2.128	2.086	2.106	2.153	3.900

Note: The record high average price for gasoline in Kentucky is \$4.089, reported on July 10, 2008.**Source:** Gasoline (unleaded regular) & Diesel: National AAA, <http://www.fuelgaugereport.com/KYavg.asp>**Wholesale Fuel Prices**

Spot Prices	03/25/09	03/18/09	03/12/09	03/04/09	Year Ago
Crude Oil (Dollars per barrel)	52.27	48.14	47.03	45.38	105.90
West Texas Intermediate, fob					
Natural Gas (Dollars per MMBtu)	3.760	3.760	3.855	4.210	9.315
Henry-Hub					

Source: http://online.wsj.com/mdc/public/page/2_3023-cashprices.html?mod=topnav_2_3012; <http://www.enrg.lsu.edu/les/spot.html>

Futures		May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09
Crude Oil (Dollars per barrel)	03/25/09	52.77	54.19	55.47
Light Sweet Crude Oil	03/18/09	48.90	50.35	-
	03/12/09	47.97	49.01	-
Natural Gas (Dollars per MMBtu)	03/25/09	4.416	4.540	4.671
Henry-Hub	03/18/09	3.759	3.881	-
	03/12/09	4.055	4.181	-
Propane (Cents per gallon)	03/25/09	72.69	73.44	73.44
	03/18/09	66.50	67.25	-
	03/12/09	63.46	64.04	-
Coal (Dollars per ton)	03/20/09	47.58	-	-
Central Appalachian	03/13/09	47.92	-	-
	03/06/09	46.00	-	-

Source: [NYMEX closing price](#) and [EIA Coal Futures](#)**For more information, contact John Davies, Department for Energy Development and Independence:**Phone: (502)564-7192 or (800)282-0868 Fax: (502) 564-7484 E-mail: John.Davies@ky.gov Internet: www.energy.ky.gov

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